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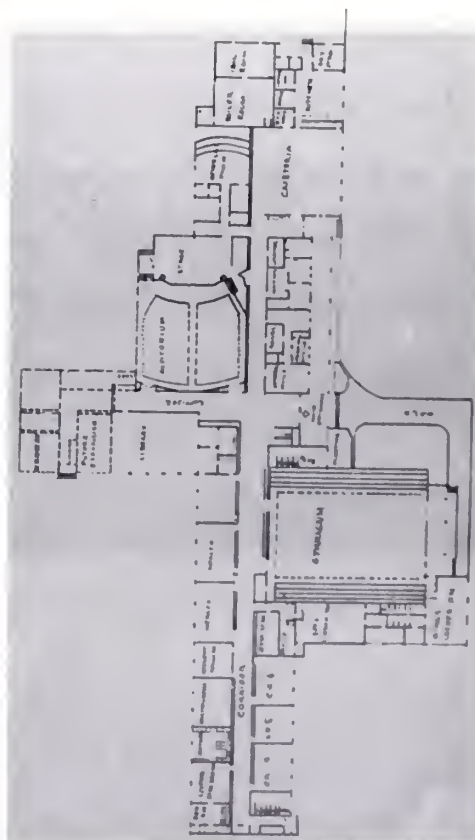
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# 1959

A YEAR OF

*progress...*





THE 1959

# *Chilvalee*

*published by the Seniors of* Chilhowie High School  
Chilhowie, Virginia

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Pattie Goodman  
Nancie Warren  
Co-Editors

Harold Browning  
Business Manager

Miss Louise Snavely  
Faculty Adviser







*Amid the beautiful surroundings of our new,*





## FOREWORD

This year has been a year of progress and growth at Chilhowie High School.

With the opening of the school year we advanced into the five-year system, thus providing the students with a more comprehensive course.

The school enrollment was the largest in its history with a total of three hundred eighty-seven students, eighty-six of whom made up the Senior Class of 1959.

December 2, 1958 will long be remembered as the day we moved into our new high school building, which has many conveniences we never enjoyed before, including among many other attractions a beautiful and acoustically-built auditorium, a large gymnasium with adequate showers, a well-equipped laboratory, spacious library and offices, and well-lighted classrooms. These and other improvements provide a more pleasant, convenient, and satisfactory atmosphere in which we can work and develop better study habits. Our added facilities enables us to have county and district events, thereby fostering friendliness, sociability and co-operation.

We hope that 1959 will be remembered as the year which marked the opening of a new era of progress and growth in Chilhowie High School.

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*impressive building we progress toward higher goals.*



Physical education classes in our new gymnasium help develop strong bodies and teamwork.

*As we grow... we develop a better understanding of the*





Performances in our beautiful auditorium encourage a better appreciation of the arts.

*Problems about us, a respect for our democratic heritage...*



Pattie Goodman and Nancie Warren look at the SIPA trophy they accepted on behalf of the 1957 CHILVALEE Staff at the annual meeting of the Southern Interscholastic Press Association at Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Virginia.

At this meeting, attended by more than one thousand high school delegates from eleven southern states and the District of Columbia, critical ratings were given school publications. The winning entries in each of the six yearbook groups were given either First Place, Honor, or Achievement Awards, with only one of the First Place Award winners receiving the coveted SIPA trophy for being best in its division.

We are proud THE CHILVALEE received this honor and hope that with this encouragement we shall continue to progress and make each yearbook better than the last.

*... a closer fellowship with our neighbor ...*

Mickey Doyle, Jimmy Thomas, and Tom Freeman improve handwork skills in a shop class.











Students have more opportunity to study in the new well-lighted library.

*and we possess an earnest and sincere desire to*



As we Seniors look toward the future, we hope that the improved facilities of Chilhowie High School will continue to promote higher standards of scholarship, inspire students to worthy citizenship, and develop a better appreciation of the finer things of life because we believe these are true marks of growth and progress.



*cling to the higher and nobler things of life.*



*As we grow... we fondly say goodbye...*



Some last activities in the old building: Dr. Tilson speaks, commencement 1958; a faculty meeting in the old building; Gene Blevins gives a blackboard its final washing; one of the last classes.



Mr. Kreger makes announcements in a final assembly; last senior play on the old stage; last school party in the old gym; work on "The Chilvalee" before moving day.



Mrs. Bonham packs library books; boys help move books, supplies, desks, and other equipment to new building; "assistants" to Mr. Sullins clean a room during the moving process.

*... to the old familiar places.*





Representing administration, guidance, athletics, classroom and vocational teachers are Mr. Kreger, Miss Copenhagen, Mr. Compton, Miss Love,

*As we grow... through*

**ADMINISTRATION**



## SMYTH COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD

Looking at plans for proposed school improvements in Smyth County are Mr. William P. Buchanan, Rich Valley District; Mr. Francis J. Copenhaver, Chairman, Marion District; Mr. Laton E. Choate, St. Clair District. Dr. T. K. McKee, Saltville School District, was not present when the picture was made.

### *Messages from our Superintendent...*

MR. J. LEONARD MAUCK, B. S., M. A.  
SUPERINTENDENT OF SMYTH COUNTY  
SCHOOLS

Shepherd College, Concord College,  
Emory and Henry College, Peabody College  
University of Virginia



The theme for this volume, "Growth and Progress," is a very appropriate one, and I commend the Class of '59 for its selection. Your fine new high school building is a visible sign of progress, and my observations lead me to believe that there has been much progress in all phases of your school program. Growth and progress just do not happen. They are the result of careful planning and an eternal attention and devotion to the things which make for a good school.

My sincerest congratulations to all of you for your fine spirit and my best wishes for the future.

*J. Leonard Mauck*



## *... And Principal*

It is my sincere privilege to congratulate our Annual Staff and commend each individual person for his excellent work on this yearbook.

The theme of "Growth and Progress" is so appropriate that any words I might write will be an anti-climax. Our new plant and twelve-year program are symbols of development.

I wish each and every one of you the very best in the future.

Remember your school.

*GEORGE F. KREGER*



MR. GEORGE FRENCH KREGER, A. B., M. S.  
PRINCIPAL OF CHILHOWIE HIGH SCHOOL  
Lees-McRae College  
Emory and Henry College  
University of Tennessee College

More office space is provided in our new building. Pictured below in the outer office are Mrs. Mildred Clark, girls' physical education teacher, Lissa Frye, a student, Miss Faye Shortt, secretary, and Coach Hubert Ashe.





# *Faculty members open the door to our future*



MR. GREEVER CROUSE  
ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL  
Emory and Henry College B. A.  
University of Kentucky M. A.  
General Business and Math  
Sponsor of Patrol and Freshman  
Class

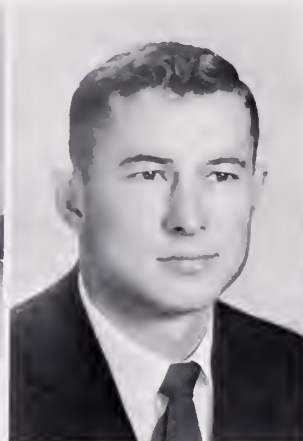
MR. HUBERT ASHE  
Carson-Newman College B. S.  
History  
Coach of Baseball, Assistant Coach  
of Football  
Sponsor of Hi-Y and Sophomore  
Class

MRS. MARY V. BONHAM  
Virginia Intermont College  
Emory and Henry College A. B.  
William and Mary College A. B. in  
L. S.  
Librarian

MRS. MILDRED B. CLARK  
Furman University B. A.  
Girls' Physical Education

MR. CLEVE COMPTON  
Carson Newman College B. S.  
Science, History, Math  
Coach of Football, Girls' Basketball,  
Track  
Sponsor of Monogram Club

MISS MARY PAYNE COPENHAVER  
Martha Washington College  
Emory and Henry College, B. S.  
English  
Guidance Director  
Sponsor of S. C. A.



MR. A. B. FARMER  
Virginia Polytechnic Institute  
B. S., M. S.  
Iowa State College M. S.  
Agriculture and Shop  
Sponsor of Future Farmers of  
America

MISS WILMA L. FLANARY  
Emory and Henry College B. A.  
English and Spanish  
Sponsor of Spanish Club, EL  
GUERREADOR, Junior Class

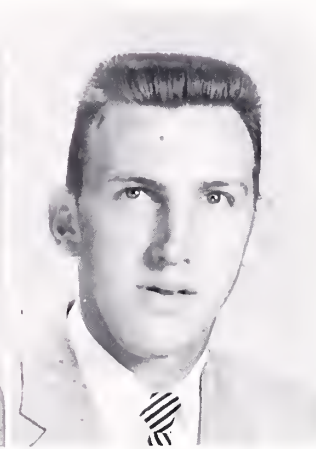
MRS. GLADYS H. FRYE  
Radford College B. S.  
Home Economics  
Supervisor of Cafeterias  
Sponsor of Future Homemakers of  
America

*through guidance, knowledge, and experience.*

MRS. JANE M. GOFF  
Emory and Henry College B. Ed.  
Typing, Shorthand, Bookkeeping  
Sponsor of EL GUERREADOR and  
Junior Class

MRS. BARBARA C. HARRIS  
Concord College B. S.  
Chorus and Dramatics  
Sponsor of Dramatics Club

MR. J. B. HARRIS, JR.  
Concord College B. S.  
Band Director



MRS. MARGARET T. JONES  
Radford College B. S.  
English, History, Home Economics  
Sponsor of Cheerleaders and  
Senior Class

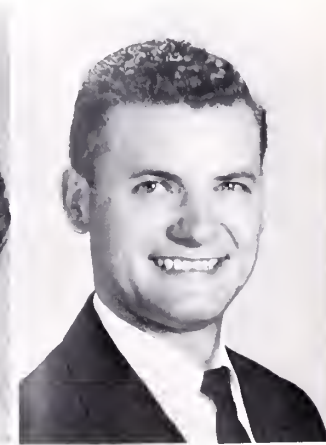
MISS ELIZABETH LOVE  
Emory and Henry College B. A.  
Math, Algebra, Geometry  
Sponsor of Tri-Hi-Y and Eighth  
Grade

MR. ARNOLD MELLINGER  
Carson Newman College B. S.  
Typing, Math, Science, Physical  
Education  
Coach of Boys' Basketball  
Sponsor of Hi-Y and Sophomore  
Class

MRS. MARGARET S. ROBINSON  
Radford College B. S.  
Chemistry, Biology, Science  
Sponsor of Science Club and Eighth  
Grade

MISS LOUISE SNAVELY  
Averett College  
Radford College A. B.  
Columbia University M. A.  
English and Government  
Sponsor of THE CHILVALEE and  
Senior Class

MR. HERBERT SPROLES  
Virginia Polytechnic Institute B. S.  
Vocational Agriculture  
Sponsor of Future Farmers of  
America







Miss Faye Shortt, Secretary, checks some school records in the new office.



Mrs. P.D. Crutchfield and Mrs. F.E. Pruitt help Mrs. J.A. Rosenbaum, manager of the cafeteria, prepare lunch for approximately 290 high school students who eat in the new cafeteria.



## *Our Staff members at work*

These bus drivers transport 310 students each day; Left to right, O. M. Blevins, Les Blevins, Substitute for Bradley Blevins; Hugh Blevins, John Bowman, George A. Crutchfield, and Rob Blizzard.



Rob Blizzard and Gene Hale, building custodians, prepare a Christmas tree for the school hall.







Class presidents are Wade Powers, Allen Jones, Roger Tucker, David Blevins, Ronnie Johnson.

*As we grow... in*

**CLASSES**



#### OFFICERS

SEATED: David Blevins, PRESIDENT. STANDING: Pattie Goodman, SECRETARY; Barry Rice, REPORTER; Anna Sue Blevins, VICE-PRESIDENT; Nancie Warren, TREASURER.

As we, the Seniors of Chilhowie High School, approach the end of our high school days, let us pause for a few moments to look back upon the incidents that have occurred since that August morning of 1955.

1955: A group of students entered CHS, perplexed and bewildered, yet willing to learn. A few of us got lost and went to wrong classes, but other than that, we did rather well adjusting to a completely new schedule. That year we welcomed our new principal, Mr. George French Kreger,

#### MARGARET JUNE ADAMS

"Marg"  
Band 4; Chorus 3,4

#### DAVID SAMUEL BARRETT

F. F. A. 4; Science Club 3; Firefighters 4

#### ROGER LEROY BAUMGARDNER

"Bumm"

#### ALOMA DEON BLEVINS

"Donnie"  
Tri-Hi-Y 4; Science Club 4; F. H. A. 3,4; Chaplain 3; Secretary 4

#### ANNA SUE BLEVINS

F. H. A. 2,3,4, Parliamentarian 3; Monogram Club 3; S. C. A. 1,2,3,4, Vice-President 3, President 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4, Captain 3,4; Band 1,2,3,4, Majorette 1,2,3,4, Reporter 3; Homecoming Queen 4; Class President 3, Vice-President 4; Junior Play 3

#### BOBBIE LEAH BLEVINS

"Shortie"  
F. H. A. 4; Science Club 4; Tri-Hi-Y 4





GENE AUTRY BLEVINS  
Science Club 4; Bus Patrol

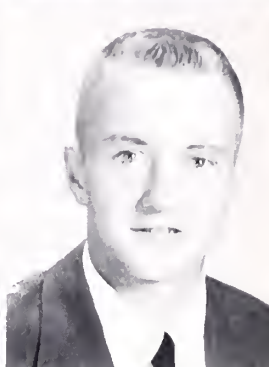
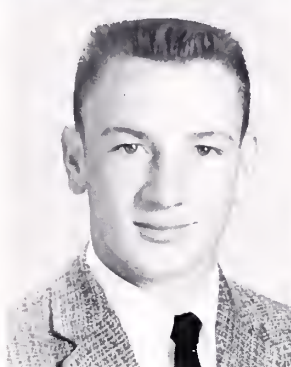
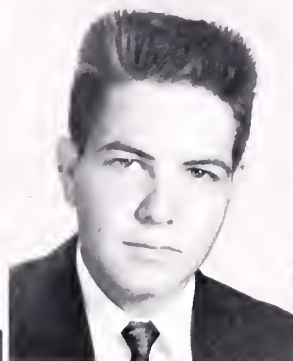
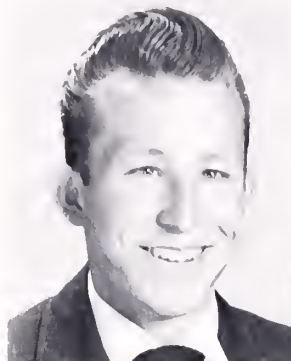
KENNARD EDWIN BLEVINS  
Spanish Club 3,4, Secretary 3; Monogram Club 3,4;  
Hi-Y 2,3,4, Secretary 4; Baseball 2,3,4

MAXINE WILLIS BLEVINS  
Bus Patrol 4

PAUL DAVID BLEVINS  
S. C. A. 2,3,4; Monogram 3,4; National Honor Society  
4; Treasurer 4; Science Club 3,4, Treasurer 4; Spanish  
Club 3,4, President 3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Class Presi-  
dent 2,4; Annual Staff 4; Sports Editor

ROBERT FRED BLEVINS  
"Eyes"  
Spanish Club 3,4, Vice-President 4; Hi-Y 2,3,4; Foot-  
ball 2,3,4; Basketball 4; Baseball 2,3,4

WILLARD LEE BLEVINS  
"Scrub"  
F. F. A. 1,2; Football 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Base-  
ball 1,2



## THE SENIOR CLASS OF 1959

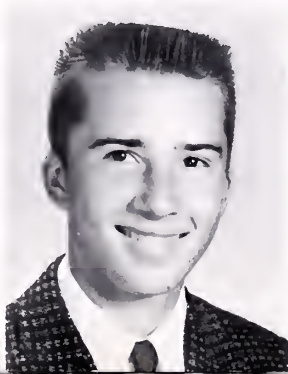


SUSAN CAROL BONHAM  
Monogram Club 3; Dramatics Club 3,4, Secretary,  
Reporter 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3,4; Basketball 1,2; Band 1,2,3,  
All-State 1,2; Chorus 2,3, All-State 3; Librarian 3;  
Cheerleader 3,4; Representative for Smyth County  
Voice of Democracy Contest; Junior Play 3

HAROLD DICKENSON BROWNING  
Hi-Y 3,4, Chaplain 4; Science Club 3,4; National Honor  
Society 4; Monogram Club 4; Annual Staff 3,4, Junior  
Representative 3, Business Manager 4; Basketball 4;  
Band 1,2; Scholarship Award 1,2,3; Boys' State 3;  
Junior Play 3

SHIRLEY KATHERINE CHILDERS  
Chorus 3,4

MARTHA LORENA COLLINS  
"Renie"  
F. H. A. 2,3,4, Historian 4; Monogram 3; Library Club  
3, Secretary and Treasurer 3; Basketball 1,2,3,4,  
Captain 3,4



WILLIAM HENRY COPENHAVER, JR.  
"Buddy"  
Chorus 1,2,3,4, Treasurer 3, Vice-President 4, All-  
State 3,4; Basketball 2; Football Manager 2,3; Science  
Club 4

GEORGE DUANE CRUTCHFIELD  
Monogram Club 2; National Honor Society 4; Science  
Club 3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Librarian 4





PHYLLIS ANNE DALY  
"Andy"  
F. H. A. 3; Basketball Manager 3

JIMMY DEAN DAUGHERTY  
"Horse"  
Hi-Y 2,3,4; Science Club 3,4; Monogram Club 3,4;  
Dramatics Club 4; Basketball 2,3; Baseball 2; Class  
Treasurer 2; Withdrew from school in January

BETTY SUE DAVIS  
Library Club 3,4; Vice-President 4

NORMA KATHERINE DINKINS  
"Dink"  
F. H. A. 2,3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 3,4, Vice-President 4; Bus  
Patrol 2,3; Basketball Manager 3,4

JOHN CHARLES DIXON  
F. F. A. 1,2,3,4; Firefighters 3,4; Hi-Y 4; Football 1,2,  
4; Baseball 1,3,4

BETTY RUTH DOSS  
F. H. A. 2,3,4; Monogram Club 3; National Honor Society  
4; Basketball 3,4; Chorus 1,2,3; Cheerleaders 2,3,4;  
Junior Play 3

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JOHN MITCHELL DOYLE  
"Mickey"  
F. F. A. 1,2,3,4, Vice-President 4; Firefighters 3,4

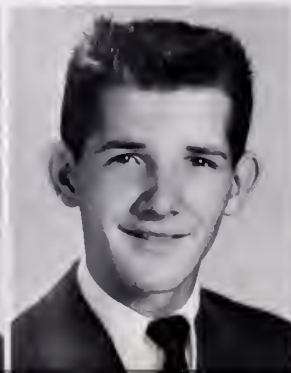
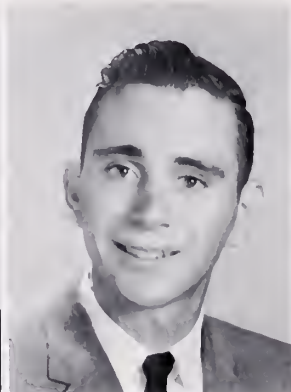
NORMAN BLAKE ECHOLS  
F. F. A. 1,2

NANCY EVELYN ELLER  
F. H. A. 2,3,4, Historian 3, President 4; Smywasco  
Federation Reporter 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3,4; National Honor  
Society 4; Reporter 4; Library Club, President 4; Bus  
Patrol 2,3; Basketball Manager 4; Class Treasurer 1

ANN WILMOTH FARMER  
Tri-Hi-Y 3,4, Treasurer 4; Science Club 3,4, Reporter  
4; National Honor Society 4, Vice-President 4; Spanish  
Club 3,4; Dramatics Club 3; Monogram Club 3; Band  
1,2,3,4, Treasurer 2, Reporter 1, Librarian 4, All-  
State West 2,3,4, First Chair 3,4; Virginia All-State  
Chorus 1; Paper Staff 3,4, Alumni Editor 3; Girls'  
State 3; Junior Play 3

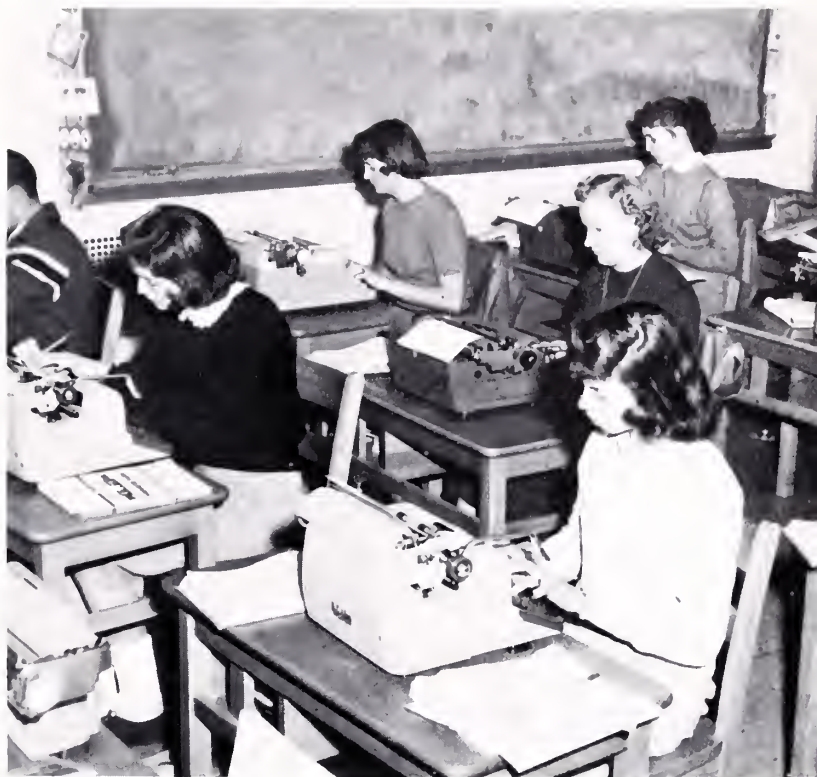
HERMAN DAVID FARRIS  
"Dave"  
Science Club 3,4

ROBERT THOMAS FREEMAN  
"Bob"  
Hi-Y 2,3,4; Spanish Club 3; Science Club 3,4



to the faculty. We were proud, too, because we were the largest Freshman Classever at CHS. Nancie Warren was class president. With a few drop-outs we entered our second year in high school.

1956: Our Sophomore year began rather well with a total enrollment of one hundred twelve. As underclassmen still, we had a lot to learn, but we were still progressing at a rapid pace. David Blevins was president along with an all-male slate of officers, a fact which was very unusual. That season our football team was a top contender for the District Seven championship but lost to Abingdon. However, we were very proud that our



Seniors develop skills in typing amid the pleasant, comfortable surroundings of the new well-lighted business department.



WILLIAM THOMAS FREEMAN  
"Tom"  
F. F. A. 1,2,3,4; Firefighters 1,2,4

JACKIE B. FRENCH  
"French"  
Hi-Y 2,3,4; Science Club 3,4

LISSA LOVE FRYE  
"Lis"  
F. H. A. 3,4, Reporter 4; Band 1,2,3; Basketball 3



BONNIE SUE GILLESPIE  
Band 2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3

GALE REX GILLEY  
"Woody"  
F. F. A. 2,3,4; Firefighters 3,4; Baseball 3,4

NETTIE MARIE GOLLEHON  
"Birdseed"  
F. H. A. 3,4, Songleader 4; Spanish Club 3,4; Bus Patrol 1,2; Chorus 3,4, Reporter 4, All-State 4





CHARLES FRANKLIN GOODMAN, JR.

"Sonny"

Band 1,2,3,4, Vice-President 3, President 4; National Honor Society 4, Program Chairman 4; Hi-Y 4; Chorus 2; S. C. A. Representative 4; Annual Staff 3,4, Junior Representative 3; Sales Manager 4; Junior Play 3; Monogram Club 3,4; Science Club 4; Dramatics Club 4

PATRICIA ANNE GOODMAN

"Pattie"

F. H. A. 2,3,4, Reporter 3, Chaplain 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3,4, Secretary 4; National Honor Society 4; Bus Patrol 3; Junior Play 3; Annual 3,4, Junior Representative 3, Co-Editor 4; Chorus 1; Delegate at S. I. P. A. 3; Class Secretary 3,4

MARGARET ANN GROSECLOSE

F. H. A. 2,3,4, Vice-President 4; S. C. A. 1,2, Secretary 2; Monogram Club 3; Dramatics Club 4; Band 3; Chorus 1,2; Cheerleader 1,2; Junior Play 3

VIRGINIA LEE GROSS

"Jenny"

Bus Patrol 1,2

AMBERS RAY HAGA

Monogram Club 2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4

IZETTA MAE HAGA

F. H. A. 4

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CLYDE WAYNE HAMM

NELLIE JUNE HANKLA

"Hank"

Library Club 1,2

SHELBY JEAN HAWKINS

"Jean"

F. H. A. 4; Transferred from Elkhorn City, Kentucky

PAUL EDWIN HAYES

"Eddie"

SHELBY GERALDINE HEATH

"Shelb"

F. H. A. 3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 3,4, Chaplain 4; Library Club 4; Science Club 4

ANNA KATHERINE HORNE

"Kitty Ann"

Science Club 3,4, Secretary 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3,4, President 4; F. H. A. 2,3,4; Monogram Club 3; Band 1,2,3,4, All-State West 3,4, Majorette 3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Junior Play 3; Homecoming Attendant 4

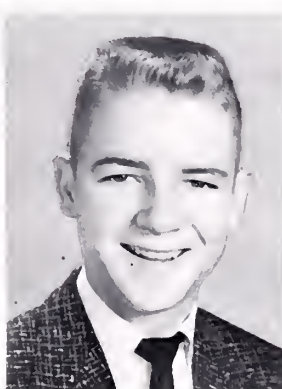


school did win the sportsmanship award.

1957: Still progressing toward our goal, we entered our Junior Year. We were finally upperclassmen! We really worked hard selling shoe polish and fountain pens to raise money for a social in the spring. At Christmas we promoted a goodwill campaign by helping needy families in the community. With Anna Sue Blevins as president we continued to progress educationally and financially. Our presentation of the Junior Play, "A Family Crisis" was very successful. We made, we feel, a lasting contribution to our school by selecting a standard Senior class ring design, consisting of the Virginia state emblem and a warrior's head. Then came spring,



Sonny Martin and Norma Dinkins perform an experiment in Chemistry class while Bobbie Blevins reads the directions.



MARY LEE JACKSON  
"Rhodie"

F. H. A. 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4

BARBARA ANN JONES  
"Slim"

F. H. A. 2,3,4; Library Club 3,4; Secretary 4; Annual Staff 4, Typist

JAMES ROBERT KELL  
"Bobby"

Hi-Y 2,3,4; Science Club 3,4; Dramatics Club 4; Football 1,2; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4

BRENDA FAYE KILBY

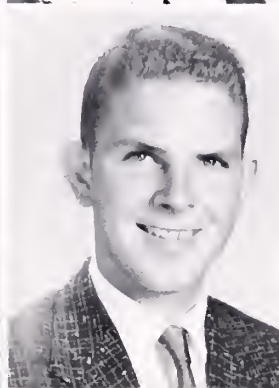
F. H. A. 4; Science Club 4; Chorus 1; Cheerleader 2; S. C. A. 1,3; Basketball 1,2

GEORGE JAMES LESTER  
"Teed"

Hi-Y 4; Science Club 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; All-State 3; Football Manager 1,2,3,4; Basketball Manager 2

JERRY BROWN LEWIS

Science Club 1,2; Basketball 1,2; Chorus 1,2







Gene Autry Blevins very skillfully decorates the chalk boards in several classrooms at Christmas time.

time for the Junior-Senior Prom. Holston Hills Country Club was the scene of this event, which everyone enjoyed. The club was beautifully decorated in Japanese style, and each guest received an attractive Japanese favor. Then the following week, to bid our upperclassmen farewell and to show them how much we had enjoyed their friendship, we treated them to a hayride at Hungry Mother State Park.

1958: Finally came our Senior year, the year that we had once looked forward to but now entered reluctantly. We were granted the privilege of being the first Seniors to enter the new high school building. We have enjoyed every minute

BRENDA JOYCE LOVERN  
F. H. A. 2,3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 3,4; National Honor Society 4; Chorus 1

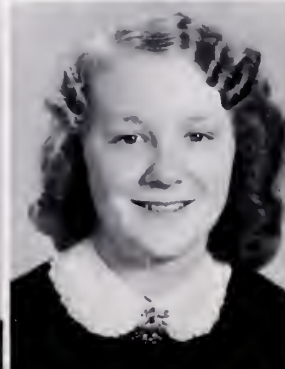
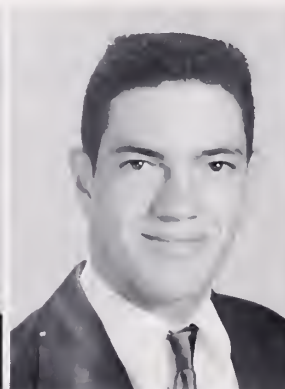
DONALD DEAN MARTIN  
"Don"  
Hi-Y 2,3,4, Vice-President 3; F. F. A. 1,2; Monogram Club 2,3,4, Vice-President 3; Football 1,2,3,4, Captain 4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4, Captain 4

SIDNEY KERMIT MARTIN  
"Sonny"  
Dramatics Club 4; Hi-Y 4; Library Club 4; Science Club 4

WESLEY ALLEN MARTIN  
"Pete"  
Hi-Y 2,3,4, President 4; Monogram Club 2,3,4; Chorus 2,3,4, Vice-President 3; President 4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4, Captain 4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Class Reporter 2, Vice-President 3

BARBARA LEE MASON  
"Bobbie"  
Bus Patrol 1

ROBERT HENRY MYERS, JR.  
"Rusty"  
F. F. A. 1,2,3; National Honor Society 4



VIRGINIA PATRICIA O'DEY  
"Pat"

F. H. A. 4; Transferred from Norview High School, Norfolk, Virginia.

CAROLYN ELAINE OSBORNE  
National Honor Society 4, Secretary 4; Spanish Club 3,4, Reporter 3; Tri-Hi-Y 3,4, Reporter 4; Dramatics Club 3, Reporter 3; Chorus 3; Cheerleader 4

NANCY ARYLENE OSBORNE  
"Carolyn"

F. H. A. 2,3,4; Library Club 1,3; Tri-Hi-Y 3,4, Historian 4; National Honor Society 4

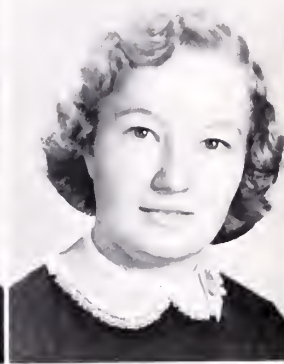
BETTY SUE PEAKE  
Library Club 3

HAZEL RUTH RAMBO

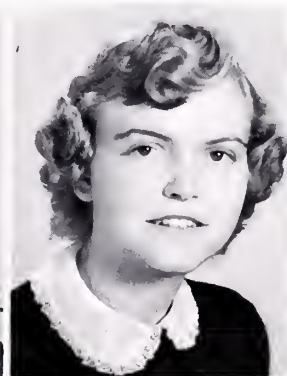
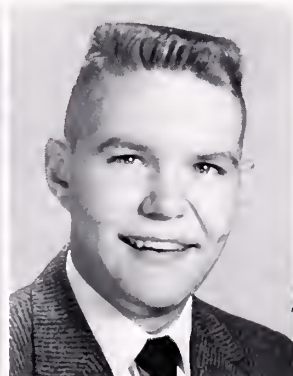
F. H. A. 4

PEGGY ANN RATLIFF  
"Rabbit"

F. H. A. 2,3,4; National Honor Society 4; Monogram Club 3; Chorus 1,2,3; Cheerleaders 2,3,4



## THE SENIOR CLASS OF 1959



RUBY MAE REEVES  
"Toni"

National Honor Society 4

EDWIN BARRY RICE  
Science Club 3,4, President 4; Hi-Y 2,3,4, Reporter 3,4; National Honor Society 4, President 4; Spanish Club 3,4; Annual Staff 4, Sports Editor; Paper Staff 3; Junior Play Cast 3; Class Reporter 4

LINDA LEE ROUSE  
F. H. A. 3,4, Treasurer 4; Tri-Hi-Y 4

BARBARA LUCILLE RUPARD  
Monogram Club 3; Cheerleader 1,2,3,4; Basketball 3,4

REBECCA JANE SANDERS  
Tri-Hi-Y 3,4, Program Chairman 4; Science Club 3,4; Monogram Club 3; Library Club 1; S. C. A. 3,4; Dramatics Club 3; Spanish Club 3,4; Band 1; Paper Staff 3,4, Editor 3,4; Delegate at Model General Assembly 3; Delegate at S. C. A. Convention 3

MAXINE GREY SHEETS  
Bus Patrol 2; Transferred from Kennett High School, Kennett Square, Pennsylvania







WILLIAM AVERY SHEETS  
F. F. A. 2,3,4

JAMES FRANKLIN SHELTON  
"Frank"  
Monogram Club 3; Bus Patrol 1,3; Baseball Manager 1; Football Manager 2; Basketball 3,4; Basketball Manager 2

BARBARA ANN SIMS  
Library Club 4, Treasurer 4

CAROLYN VIRGINIA STINES  
"Holly"  
F. H. A. 2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3; Bus Patrol 1,4

RAY ANDERSON STOOTIS  
F. F. A. 1,2,3,4, Firefighters 3

JAMES RICHARD THOMAS  
"Whistle"  
F. F. A. 1,2,3,4, Sentinel 2, Treasurer 3,4; Firefighters 1,2,3,4; Monogram Club 3,4; Hi-Y 3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Track 2; Football 1,2,3,4, Co-Captain 4

## THE SENIOR CLASS OF 1959

JIMMY WARREN THOMAS  
"Jimmy"  
F. F. A. 1,2,3,4, President of Smyth-Wythe Federation 3, Executive Committee Member-at-Large 3, President of Chapter 4; Monogram Club 3,4; Hi-Y 2,3,4, Treasurer 4; Football 3,4, Manager 1,2; Basketball 3,4; Baseball 1,3,4.

LINDA FRANCES THOMAS  
Library Club 1; National Honor Society 4, Chaplain 4; F. H. A. 4

WILHELMINA GRAHAM THOMAS  
"Mina"  
Science Club 4; Band 1,2,3,4; Annual Staff 4, Layout Editor 4; Basketball 1

MELBA KATHALEEN WARREN  
"Nancie"  
Bus Patrol 4; Library Club 3, President 3; F. H. A. 2,3,4; National Honor Society 4; S. C. A. 1,3,4, Treasurer 3, Secretary 4; Annual Staff 4, Co-Editor 4; Chorus 1; Delegate at S. I. P. A. 3; Delegate at S. C. A. Convention 3; Class President 1, Reporter 3, Treasurer 4

ALFRED FRANKLIN WHITAKER  
"Frank"

CONLEY MILLARD WILLIAMS, JR.  
"Burr"



we have spent in it, too. We elected David Blevins as our Senior class president. Anticipating the expenses of a Washington trip and graduation exercises, we sold magazines to raise money. We did quite well, even surpassing all previous sales in our school. Sonny Goodman, Barry Rice, Harold Browning, and Carol Bonham were high salesmen. We also hope to break all school records by being the largest Senior class to go to Washington, and to graduate from CHS.

Reluctantly, we are coming to the end of our high school days and as we move on and another class takes our place, we would like to say to the faculty that we really appreciate everything they have done for us.



Ruby Reeves and Betty Davis look at annuals of the past years in the display case outside the publications room.



JO NELL WILMORE  
"Jodie"

Spanish Club 3,4, Vice-President 3; Dramatics Club, 3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 3,4; F. H. A. 2,3,4; Science Club 3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 2; Cheerleader 4; Paper Staff 3,4, Sports Editor 3,4, Business Manager 3; Basketball 1,2,3,4



GOLDIE MAE GROSS  
Withdrew from school in December.

NOT PICTURED  
MAXINE B. ROLAND

Although we have acted undeserving of this assistance, we can honestly look back and say, "We have enjoyed every minute of it."

We once thought that when we became Seniors, we would be completing our educational cycle, but now we see everything differently. Instead of completing it, we are actually just beginning. As we go our separate ways, we want to leave this word to the underclassmen, "We hope you will gain as much from your high school days as we have from ours!"

Class Colors:	Green and White
Class Flower:	Rhododendron
Class Motto:	C-Confidence H-Happiness S-Success





QUIETEST  
Izetta Haga  
Norman Echols



BEST ALL AROUND  
Pattie Goodman  
David Blevins  
Anna Sue Blevins

## *Seniors Choose 1959*

MOST UNPREDICTABLE  
Jerry Lewis  
Jane Sanders



MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED  
Ann Farmer  
Harold Browning



MOST ATHLETIC  
Don Martin  
Anna Sue Blevins





NEATEST  
Evelyn Eller  
Kitty Horne  
Jimmy Little



MOST CONSIDERATE  
Barry Rice  
Norma Dinkins



MOST DEPENDABLE  
Sonny Goodman  
Pattie Goodman

## *Class Superlatives*

BIGGEST APPETITE  
Ann Daly  
Jimmy Daugherty  
Lissa Frye



MOST POPULAR  
Don Martin  
Anna Sue Blevins  
David Blevins







# JUNIORS

## OFFICERS

### PRESIDENT

Ronnie Johnson

### VICE-PRESIDENT

Charles Blevins, Jr.

### TREASURER

Judy Tuell

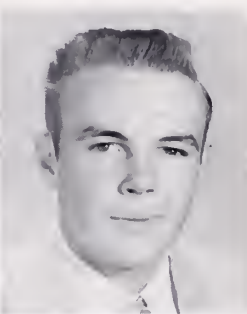
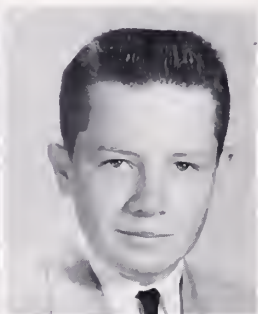
### SECRETARY

Tommy Maust

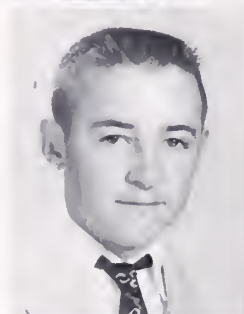
### Reporter

Barbara Russell

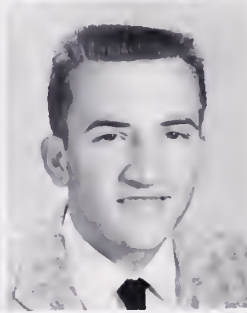
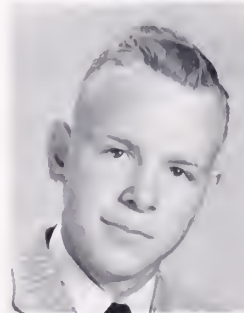
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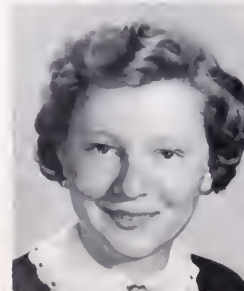
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Charles Blevins, Jr.



Donnie Blevins  
Linda Blevins  
Olivine Blevins



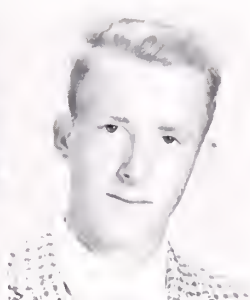
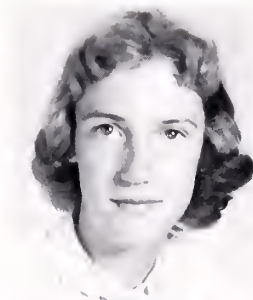
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James Brooks



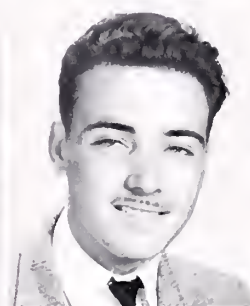
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Betty Crouse  
Bonnie Crouse

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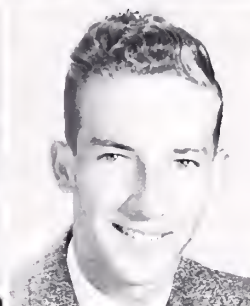
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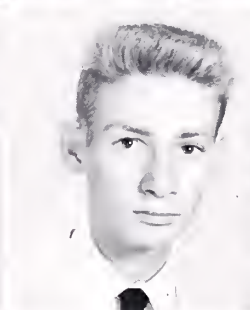
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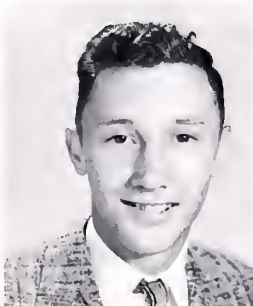
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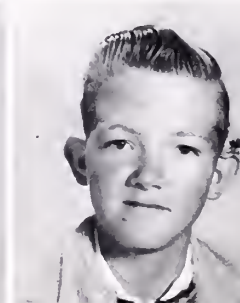
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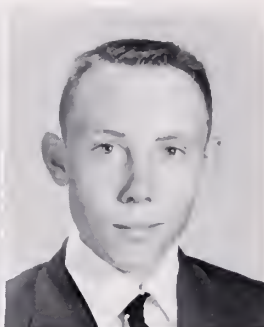


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Juanita Hart  
Luther Hart

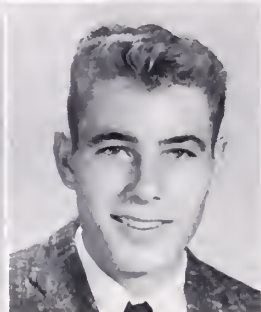




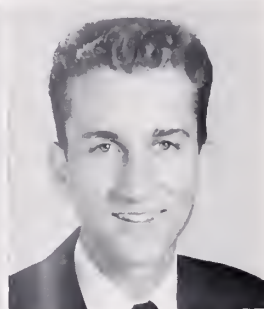
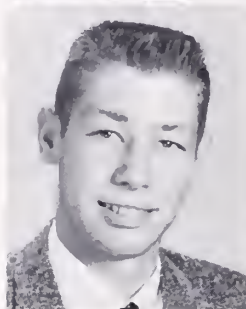
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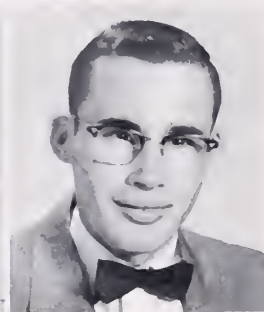
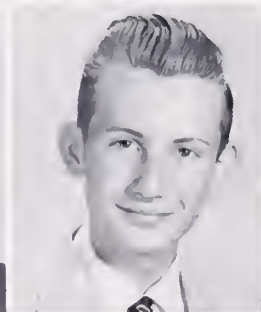
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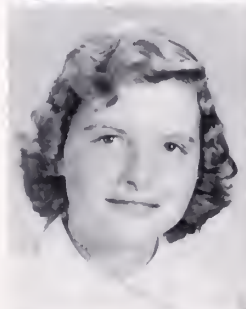
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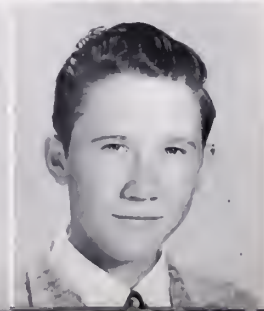
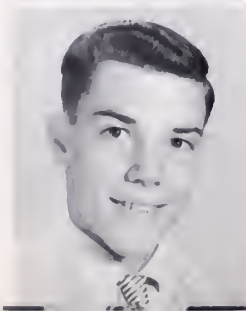
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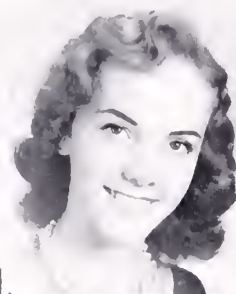
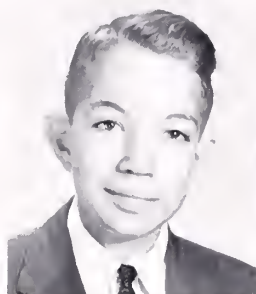
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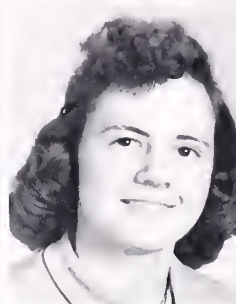
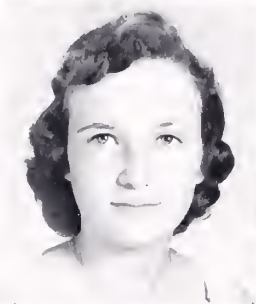
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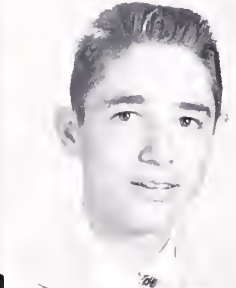
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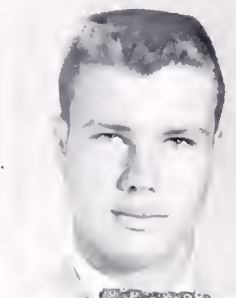
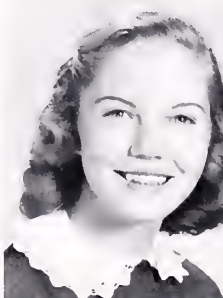
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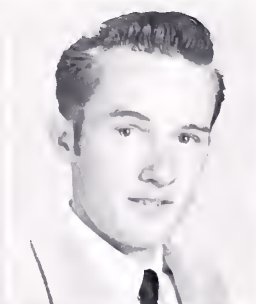
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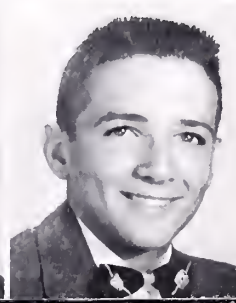
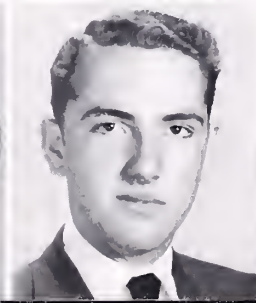
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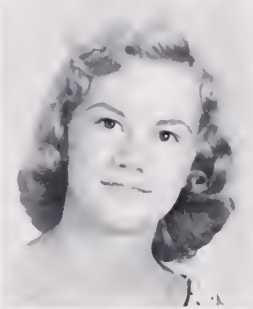
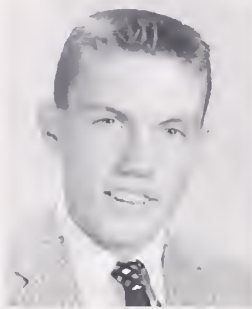




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Vonnie Thomas  
Zelma Trail  
Judy Tuell



Murphy White  
Arnold Williams  
Patty Walters



David Yates

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Patsy Heath  
Eugene Keesee  
Frank Kell  
Roger Sturgill



Three teenage sisters, Liz, Penny, and Midge, plot against their older sisters in the one-act play, "The U.S. Revolt," by Olive White Fortenbacher, given by the Dramatics Club.

## CAST

Liz . . . . .	Carol Bonham
Midge . . . . .	Suzie Manuel
Penny . . . . .	Betty Adams
Julia . . . . .	Jo Nell Wilmore
Ann . . . . .	Margaret Groseclose
Eileen . . . . .	Sandra Rector
Jack . . . . .	Sonny Goodman
Tommy . . . . .	Sonny Martin
Dave . . . . .	Albert Atkins
	Price Herndon

*As we grow... we welcome new...*



Mr. Kreger has been kept busy showing the new building to various groups. Pictured above are some of the groups being taken on a tour before we moved in: the Seniors, all the boys, and teachers.



teachers have enjoyed the conveniences of the new building. Above, students are shown browsing in the library, inspecting their new lockers, and practicing in the band room. Mr. Kreger demonstrates the public address system.



Wesley Martin and Jimmy Thomas chat in the hall with new students, Mary and Betty Lewis; Evelyn Eller presides over the F. H. A. installation service for new members; James Thomas, Dianna Hart, Suzie Manuel, and Sonny Martin enter through the new orange doors; Pat Jones tidies her locker while Patsy McClure looks on.

*... surroundings, activities and ideas.*





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Wade Powers

VICE-PRESIDENT

Barbara Blevins

SECRETARY-TREASURER

Linda Moser

REPORTER

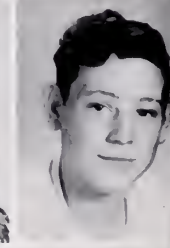
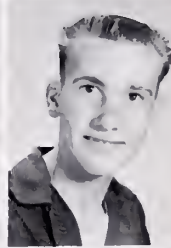
Brenda Martin

FIRST ROW: Barbara Blevins, Vice-President; Brenda Martin, Reporter.  
SECOND ROW: Wade Powers, President; Linda Moser, Secretary-Treasurer.

Mildred Adams  
Albert Atkins  
Ann Barlow  
Alvin Barr  
Dale Baumgardner



Barbara Blevins  
Jackie Blevins  
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Max Blevins  
Joe Blizzard



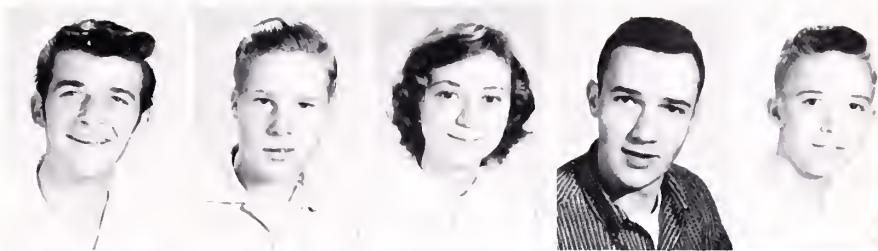
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Frances Dean  
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Jimmy Eller  
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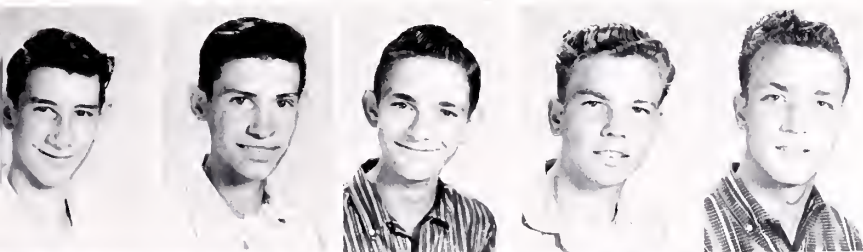
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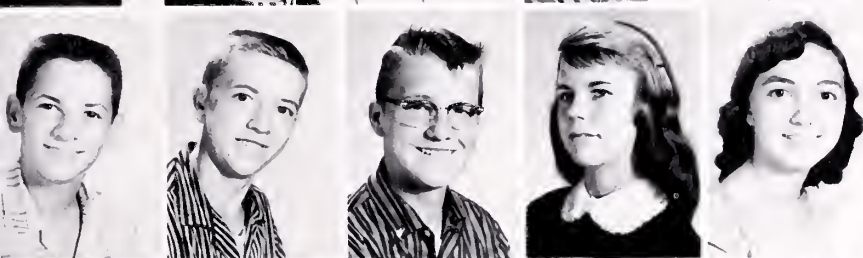
## SOPHOMORES



Preston Hunt  
Scotty Jones  
Richard Kilby  
Joe Lundy  
Kenneth Lundy



Carolyn Lyles  
Susie Manuel  
Brenda Martin  
Louise Mason  
Janie McCallister



Larry McClure  
James McCready  
Jimmy Miller  
Mary Jean Minnick  
Linda Moser



Nancy Neitch  
Jimmy Osborne  
Marlene Osborne  
Leland Owens  
Johnny Pauley





David Pickle  
Edward Poe  
Charles Poole  
Earnest Poole  
Emmett Poston



Ann Powers  
Glenna Powers  
Thelma Powers  
Velma Powers  
Wade Powers



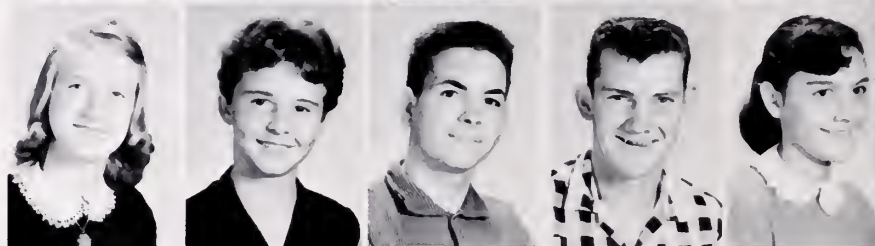
Kenneth Presnell  
Harry Pruitt  
Charlotte Ratcliffe  
Jimmy Reid  
Sharon Rice

## SOPHOMORES

Carol Riley  
Charles Riley  
Darlene Roland  
Denny Rose  
Sue Shelton



Sue Shupe  
Cathy Sowers  
Wilburn Stamper  
Benny Stuart  
Joan Stuart



Lula Testerman  
Sylvia Thomas  
Carl Troxell  
Peggy Troxell  
Charleen Tucker



NOT PICTURED:  
Drewey Childers, Jr.  
Susie Hart

Potty Tucker  
Joan Tuell



# OFFICERS

## PRESIDENT

Roger Tucker

## VICE-PRESIDENT

Freda O'Dey

## SECRETARY-TREASURER

Mary Lewis

## REPORTER

Betty Lewis

At Right: Mary Lewis, Secretary-Treasurer; Roger Tucker, President; Betty Lewis, Reporter, NOT PICTURED: Freda O'Dey, Vice-President.

## NOT PICTURED:

Bobby Campbell

Barbara Gross

Charlotte Rakes

Ruth Tuell

Gary Widener



# FRESHMEN



Tim Anderson  
Bobby Billings  
Jackie Billings  
Magdalene Blevins  
Betty Call  
Catherine Campbell



Tommy Casey  
David Crewey  
Carolyn Dalton  
Archie Evans  
Jerry Goff  
Dallas Greer



Paul Hamm  
Jimmy Hart  
Charleen Hawkins  
Peggy Heath  
Pat Jones  
Charles Keene



Betty Lewis  
Mary Lewis  
Patsy McClure  
Freda O'Dey  
Gene Pennington  
Mary Prater



Early Robinson  
Joe Roland  
Gordon Snow  
Francis Thomas  
Roger Tucker  
Wallace Williams





# OFFICERS PRESIDENT

Allen Jones

VICE-PRESIDENT

Porter Farmer

SECRETARY-TREASURER

Jeanie Rouse

At Left: Porter Farmer, Vice-President; Allen Jones, President; Jeanie Rouse, Secretary-Treasurer.

## NOT PICTURED:

Nancy Hall

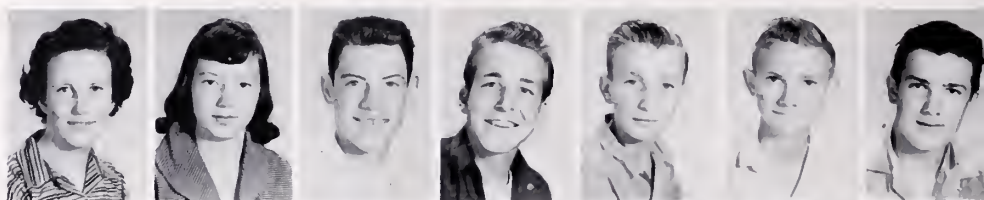
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David Shupe

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Minnie Barlow  
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Ben Blevins  
Cecil Blevins  
David Blevins  
Douglas Blevins



Elizabeth Blevins  
Larry Blevins  
Roy Blevins  
Tommy Blevins  
Mary Helen Blizzard  
Billy Bowman  
Roger Bowman



Martha Clark  
Betty Coe  
Janie Copenhaver  
Martha Jo Copenhaver  
Arlis Crutchfield  
Paul David Crutchfield  
Barbara Dean



Edward Doane  
Douglas Doss  
Carolyn Dowell  
Roberta Doyle  
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Edward Gross





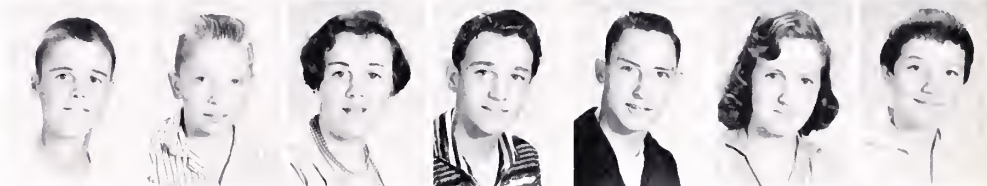
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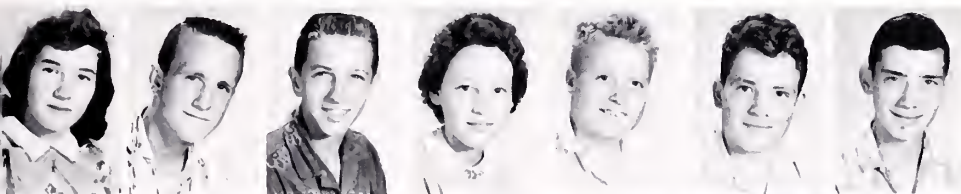
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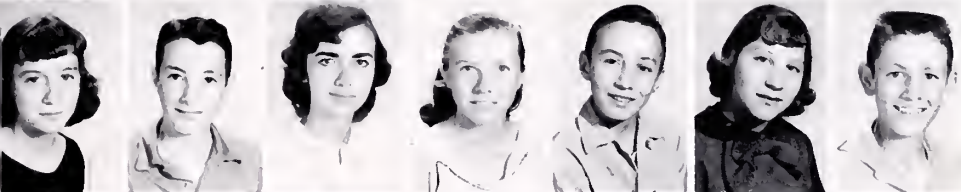
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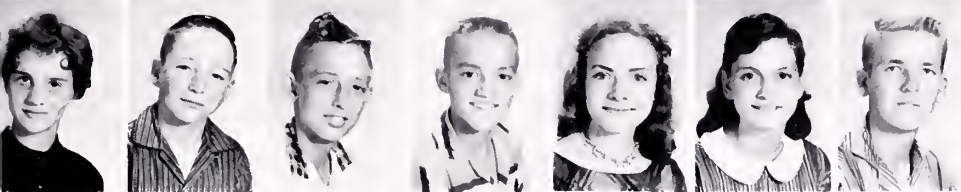
## EIGHTH GRADE



Patsy Martin  
 Ed Mason  
 Billy McClure  
 Lorraine McClure  
 Tommy McClure  
 Charles Neitch  
 Richard Nelson



Janet Osborne  
 Jimmy Osborne  
 Texie Osborne  
 Ann Owens  
 Mike Parker  
 Linda Poe  
 Eddie Pruitt



Glenda Reeves  
 Billy Reid  
 Jimmy Roland  
 Steve Roland  
 Judy Rose  
 Jeannette Rouse  
 Freddie Stuart



James Tallent  
 James Allen Taylor  
 James Taylor  
 Louise Taylor  
 Gene Teaters  
 Mae Testerman  
 Louise Thomas



Margaret Trivett  
 Johnny Troxell  
 Warren Widener  
 Lois Williams  
 Linda Wyatt  
 Lula Mae Wyatt





Speakers during the 1959 graduation exercises were former graduates of Chilhowie High School. Dr. Everett Tilson, far left, a professor at Vanderbilt University, and Mr. James Russell Moore, an attorney in Abington, Virginia, gave the commencement address. Pictured below are Dr. F.M. Eversole and Mr. J.B. Cole, former principals of C.H.S., who also had part in the exercises.



Mr. A.L. Mitchell of Emory and Henry College, Miss Blanche Daniel of Radford College, and Mrs. Selma Fleenor of Virginia Intermont College are shown talking with Chilhowie students about choosing a college at the Smyth County College and Career Night program. The meeting was attended by many representatives from schools, businesses, and the armed forces.



Below: Seniors receive magazine salesmanship certificates from Miss Snavey and Mrs. Jones.

Football players receive silver footballs from Coach Compton and Mr. Kreger.





Representing clubs and activities are Anna Sue Blevins, Jimmy Thomas, Wesley Martin, Barbara Rupard, Evelyn Eller.

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**ACTIVITIES**





FIRST ROW: Mr. A. B. Farmer, SPONSOR; Rex Gilley, Bill Davis, REPORTER; Mickey Doyle, VICE-PRESIDENT; James Thomas, TREASURER; Ronnie Johnson, SECRETARY; David Barrett, SENTINEL; Archie Evans, EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBER-AT-LARGE; Mr. Herbert Sproles, SPONSOR. SECOND ROW: Tom Freeman, Preston Hunt, Johnny Pauley, Albert Atkins, Charles Keene, Charles McClure, Jerry Goff, Ray Stoots, Charles Riley, Wade Powers, John Dixon. THIRD ROW: Tommy Casey, Charles Neitch, Billy Hart, Carson Evans, Emmett Poston, Jack Dalton, Tommy Gentry, Kenneth Presnell, Bill Kessee.

The Future Farmers of America, an organization which is composed of boys enrolled in agriculture classes, helps to create and

nuture a love of country life and inspire more interest in the intelligent choice of farming as an occupation.

## F.F.A.

## TRI-HI-Y CLUB

Developing Christian citizenship among high school girls is the main purpose of the Tri-Hi-Y Club the high school division of the

Y. W. C. A. Drafting a bill to be introduced at the State Model Assembly was a major activity.

FIRST ROW: Nancy Carolyn Osborne, HISTORIAN; Carolyn Elaine Osborne, REPORTER; Jane Sanders, PROGRAM CHAIRMAN; Ann Farmer, TREASURER; Kitty Horne, PRESIDENT; Shelby Heath, CHAPLAIN; Norma Dinkins, VICE-PRESIDENT; Pattie Goodman, SECRETARY; Miss Elizabeth Love, SPONSOR. SECOND ROW: Nancy Fisher, Donnie Blevins, Bobbie Blevins, Brenda Gordy, Linda Rouse, Sandra Rector, Vonnie Thomas, Jo Nell Wilmore. THIRD ROW: Anne Daly, Evelyn Eller, Brenda Lovern, Carol Bonham, Juanita Hart, Barbara Russell, Judy Tuell, Sue Hughes, Lucy Pruitt.







FIRST ROW: Buddy Copenhagen, Jimmy Little, Jerry Lewis, George Lester, Wesley Martin, VICE-PRESIDENT; David Blevins, TREASURER; Barry Rice, PRESIDENT; Brenda Kilby, Aloma Blevins, Bobbie Blevins. SECOND ROW: Gene Blevins, Marvin Sheets, Sonny Roland, David Farris, Bobby Kell, Harold Browning, Jackie French, Jo Nell Wilmore, Kitty Horne, SECRETARY; Ann Farmer, REPORTER; Shelby Heath. THIRD ROW: Murphy White, Bill Taylor, Duane Crutchfield, Sonny Martin, Barbara Jones, Norma Dinkins, Russell Blevins, Charles Osborne, Nancy Fisher, Mina Thomas, Sonny Goodman.

The purpose of the Science Club is to increase in its members an awareness of the importance of science in their lives. Members

entered several exhibits in the County Science Fair and took field trips to points of interest.

## SCIENCE CLUB

## HI-Y CLUB

The Hi-Y Club, a division of the Y.M.C.A., helps in creating, maintaining, and extending high standards of Christian living and Charac-

ter throughout the home, school, and community. Plans for the year included a joint Tri-Hi-Y and Hi-Y installation service and hayride.

FIRST ROW: Mr. Arnold Mellinger, SPONSOR; Kennard Blevins, SECRETARY; Don Martin, VICE-PRESIDENT; Mickey Doyle, Harold Browning, CHAPLAIN; Barry Rice, REPORTER; Mr. Hubert Ashe, SPONSOR. SECOND ROW: Fred Blevins, Jimmy Daugherty, Bobby Kell, Charles Blevins, George Lester, Sonny Martin, Sonny Goodman, Jimmy Bowman. THIRD ROW: James Thomas, Tommy Maust, David Yates, Sonny Roland, Robert Freeman, Albert Atkins, Price Herndon, Charles Frye, David Martin. NOT PICTURED: Jackie French, Wesley Martin, PRESIDENT; Jimmy Thomas, TREASURER.







FIRST ROW: Evelyn Eller, REPORTER; Sonny Goodman, PROGRAM CHAIRMAN; Ann Farmer, VICE-PRESIDENT; Barry Rice, PRESIDENT; Carolyn Osborne, SECRETARY; David Blevins, TREASURER; Linda Thomas, CHAPLAIN. SECOND ROW: Nancy Carolyn Osborne, Ruby Reeves, Pattie Goodman, Harold Browning, Mrs. Mary V. Bonham, SPONSOR; Robert Myers, Duane Crutchfield, Brenda Lovern, Nancy Warren.

The National Honor Society is composed of students with an average of ninety or above. It helps in promoting leadership, service, scholarship, character, and honesty through-

out the school. The N.H.S. activities include a children's story hour and the distribution of Easter baskets at Southwestern State Hospital.

## NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

### BUS PATROL

Members of the Chilhowie High School Bus Patrol are appointed to their places of responsibility and leadership. They look out

for the safety of those students riding the school buses by helping to keep order and encouraging the observance of rules of safety and courteous behavior.

FIRST ROW: Nancie Warren, Lucy Pruitt, Patsy Keesee, Maxine Blevins, Patsy Martin, Dianna Hart. SECOND ROW: Gene Blevins, Barbara Jean Dean, Carolyn Stines, Frank Shelton, Betty Dolinger, Joan Martin, Carol Riley.





FIRST ROW: Nancie Warren, SECRETARY; Anna Sue Blevins, PRESIDENT; Betty Adams, VICE-PRESIDENT. SECOND ROW: Barbara Blevins, TREASURER; David Blevins, Jane Sanders, PROGRAM CHAIRMAN; Texie Osborne, Roberta Doyle, Pat Jones, Ann Barlow, CHAPLAIN. THIRD ROW: David Pickle, Ronnie Johnson, Tommy Maust, REPORTER; Eddie Pruitt, Sonny Goodman, Charles Blevins, Allen Jones.

Everyone in Chilhowie High School is a member of the Student Co-operative Association. The council members, chosen by the whole student body each year, help in creating

better school spirit, leadership, and honesty. The council sold school pennants to raise money and presented an assembly program.

## STUDENT CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION LIBRARY CLUB

The Library Club is an organization of students who assist the high school librarian. Each member works in the library at some

hour of every day helping the other students use the facilities of the library, checking books, or assisting the librarian in various other ways.

FIRST ROW: Evelyn Eller, PRESIDENT; Sue Hughes, CHAPLAIN; Betty Davis, VICE-PRESIDENT; Barbara Jones, SECRETARY; Barbara Sims, TREASURER; Peggy Daugherty, REPORTER; Phyllis Pierce, PROGRAM CHAIRMAN. SECOND ROW: Magdalene Blevins, Peggy Heath, Sonny Martin, Brenda Fleming, Charles Frye, Betty Call, Shelby Heath, Katherine Campbell.





# ALL STATE BAND AND CHORUS

The All-State Band, West, was held in Danville, Virginia, February 6, 7, and 8, 1959. Those attending were chosen at all-state try-outs held previously at Big Stone Gap, Virginia. Ann Farmer, who made first chair in the concert band in Danville, was selected for the Virginia All-State Band.

Bluefield, Virginia, was the site of the All-State Chorus February 20, 21, and 22, 1959. Brenda Copenhaver replaced Charlotte Ratcliffe, who was unable to attend.



FIRST ROW: Ann Farmer, Flute; Susie Manuel, Saxophone; Porter Farmer, Clarinet; Kitty Horne, Clarinet; Nancy Fisher, Clarinet. SECOND ROW: Charlotte Ratcliffe, Soprano; Wesley Martin, Bass; Buddy Copenhaver, Tenor; Nettie Gollehon, Alto.

## *Chilhowie Warrior Band and*

The band entertained the students and community on several occasions. Besides playing at the football games they marched in the Apple Festival, gave fall and spring concerts, presented assembly and Band

Booster Club programs, and performed in the Southeastern Band Festival, where they received a rating. They plan to perform in March at the District Festival in Richlands.

FIRST ROW: Mr. J.B. Harris, DIRECTOR; Jo Nell Wilmore, MAJORETTE; Sandra Rector, MAJORETTE; Kitty Horne, MAJORETTE; Dianna Hart, MAJORETTE; Anna Sue Blevins, DRUM MAJORETTE. SECOND ROW: Lowell Frye, Steve Martin, Lorene Lawrence, Martha Jo Copenhaver, TREASURER; Mina Thomas, REPORTER; Velma Powers, Mary Osborne, Margaret Adams, Elizabeth Blevins, Billy Joe McClure, Sonny Goodman, PRESIDENT; Jimmy Miller, Ann Farmer, Patty Greeson, Sheila Greever.







## CHORUS

The high school chorus, this year directed by Mrs. J.B. Harris, Jr., encourages a growing appreciation and a better understanding of good music among its members as well as in the student body as a whole. These students, who received training in choral singing daily, presented several programs during the year and took part in music festivals.

FIRST ROW: Dianna Hart, Sue Shelton, Elizabeth Blevins, Brenda Fleming, Mary Lee Jackson, Glenna Faye Powers, Charlotte Ratcliffe. SECOND ROW: Mrs. Barbara C. Harris, DIRECTOR; Nettie Gollehon, REPORTER; Shirley Childers, Roberta Doyle, Brenda Johnson, Margaret Adams, Joan Tuell, Barbara Dolinger, Brenda Copenhaver, SECRETARY. THIRD ROW: Nancy Gross, Sam Fortner, WATCHDOG; Buddy Copenhaver, VICE-PRESIDENT; George Lester, Wesley Martin, PRESIDENT; Sharon Rice, Patsy Martin.

*Chorus develop music ability*

The band, though smaller than in the past, has done an outstanding job this year.

George Rouse, Helen Browning, Sandra Echols, David Debord, Eugenia Howard. THIRD ROW: Steve Roland, Jerry Blevins, Linda Martin, Bonnie Gillespie, Darlene Roland, Harry Garnand, Danny McClure, Watson Gollehon, Duane Crutchfield, David Blankenbeckler, Porter Farmer, Nancy Fisher, VICE-PRESIDENT; Barbara Jones, Connie Haga, Peggy Daugherty, Mary Jean Minnick, Suzie Manuel, Ann Crutchfield, SECRETARY; Ronny Ball, Jimmy Akers.







EDITOR . . . . . Jane Sanders  
 SPORTS EDITORS, Jo Nell Wilmore  
                                  Tommy Maust  
                                  David Blevins  
 FEATURE EDITOR . . . . . Carolyn  
                                  Osborne  
 ALUMNI EDITOR . . . . . Ann Farmer  
 REPORTERS . . . . . Patty Walters  
                                  Nancy Fisher  
 SPONSORS. . . Miss Wilma Flanary  
                                  Mrs. Jane Goff

AT LEFT: SEATED, Jane Sanders.  
 STANDING: David Blevins, Tommy  
 Maust, Nancy Fisher, Miss Wilma  
 Flanary, Jo Nell Wilmore, Ann Far-  
 mer, Patty Walters.

The EL GUERREADOR staff, chosen from the Spanish Club, each month publishes an issue of the school paper "EL GUERREADOR", Spanish for "The Warrior". This publication consists of reports of clubs, ball games, class meetings, other school activities, and to the delight of the students, gossip. Other regular features include senior interviews and an honor roll.

## *El Guerreador Staff*

### *Future Homemakers of America ...*

The Future Homemakers of America is an organization composed of Sophomore, Junior and Senior girls who are or have been enrolled in home economics classes. The club which is affiliated with the state and national organizations encourages better methods of homemaking and provides opportunities for leadership.

FIRST ROW: Lorena Collins, HISTORIAN; Donnie Blevins, SECRETARY; Phyllis Pierce, PARLIAMENTARIAN; Nettie Gollehon, SONG LEADER. SECOND ROW: Jo Ann Dinkins, Barbara Jones, Norma Dinkins, Shelby Heath, Barbara Russell, Judy Tuell, Sue Hughes, Suzie Manuel. THIRD ROW: Ann Barlow, Carolyn Lyles, Sue Shupe, Brenda Fleming, Brenda Martin, Barbara Blevins, Brenda Gordy, Jean Buchanan. FOURTH ROW: Ann Crutchfield, Olivine Blevins, Linda Blevins, Ann Powers, Martha Jo Hackney, Peggy Ratliff, Jo Nell Wilmore, Bobbie Blevins.



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                               Hughes  
                               Nancy Fisher  
 SPONSOR . . . . Miss Louise Snavely

AT RIGHT, SEATED: Pattie Goodman. STANDING, FIRST ROW: Miss Louise Snavely, Barbara Jones, Nancy Fisher, David Blevins, Mina Thomas, Nancy Warren. SECOND ROW: Harold Browning, Sue Hughes, Sonny Goodman.



THE CHILVALEE Staff began its busy year when representatives attended the SIPA Convention in Lexington. In June, members and sponsor toured Delmar Printing Company, Charlotte, North Carolina, as guests of the publisher. Then, in December, thrilled at moving into a new publication room, the staff settled down to the hard work of getting the 1959 CHILVALEE to press.

## *The Chilvalee Staff*

*... develop homemaking arts*

FIRST ROW: Evelyn Eller, PRESIDENT; Linda Rouse, TREASURER; Margaret Groseclose, VICE-PRESIDENT; Lissa Frye, REPORTER; Pattie Goodman, CHAPLAIN. SECOND ROW: Barbara Dolinger, Mary Lee Jackson, Hazel Rambo, Izetta Haga, Betty Crouse, Ruby Gollehon, Brenda Kilby, Brenda Lovern. THIRD ROW: Lula Robinson, Bonnie Crouse, Linda Thomas, Shelby Jean Hawkins, Betty Sauls, Darlene Roland, Mary Jean Minnick, Carolyn Stines. FOURTH ROW: Patty Walters, Anna Sue Blevins, Carolyn Osborne, Vonnie Thomas, Juanita Hart, Betty Ruth Doss, Kitty Horne, Nancie Warren, Dixie Martin, Betty Adams.



The F.H.A. members participated in many activities during the year. They served dinner to the Garden Club in the new cafeteria, presented an initiation ceremony as an assembly program, gave a party for those to be initiated, and made plans for the annual Mother-Daughter Banquet in May.



The Dramatics Club, composed of members of the speech class, strives to create an interest in forensics and drama. They presented a one-act play, "U.S. Revolt", in assembly, at the P.T.A., and in the district play contest, where they received a superior rating. Carol Bonham won their "I Speak for Democracy Contest".



FIRST ROW: Betty Adams, TREASURER; Sonny Goodman, PROGRAM CHAIRMAN; Carol Bonham, REPORTER AND SECRETARY; Albert Atkins, PRESIDENT; Margaret Groseclose, CHAPLAIN; Sandra Rector, VICE-PRESIDENT. SECOND ROW: Suzie Manuel, Betty Lewis, Mary Lewis, Jo Nell Wimore. THIRD ROW: Sonny Martin, Sam Fortner, Mrs. Barbara Harris, SPONSOR; Jimmy Daugherty, James Brooks.

## DRAMATICS CLUB

## CHEERLEADERS

The Warrior Cheerleaders boost school and community spirit by leading the spectators in school songs and enthusiastic yells at pep rallies and ball games.

FIRST ROW: Carolyn E. Osborne, Barbara Rupard, Peggy Ratliff, Betty Ruth Doss. SECOND ROW: Patty Walters, Sandra Rector, Juanita Hart. Not Pictured: Carol Bonham, Janis Greeson, Pat Jones, Mary Jean Minnick, and Mascots Debbie Mellinger and Susan McCormick.



### ON CHILHOWIE

On Chilhowie, On Chilhowie,  
Plunge right through that line,  
Run the ball clear round the  
gridiron,  
A touchdown sure this time.

On Chilhowie, On Chilhowie,  
Fight, Fight for our fame;  
Fight Warriors, Fight, Fight,  
Fight,  
We'll win this game.



Students who take or have taken Spanish belong to the Spanish Club, whose chief activity is the publication of the monthly school paper "EL GUERREADOR." This group also sponsored the Valentine Sock Hop in the new gymnasium and has planned a semi-formal dance to be held later in the year.

FIRST ROW: Patty Walters, SECRETARY; Juanita Hart, Olivine Blevins, Jo Nell Wilmore, Miss Wilma Flanary, SPONSOR; Jane Sanders, Ann Farmer. SECOND ROW: Russell Blevins, William Taylor, Murphy White, Kennard Blevins, Fred Blevins, VICE-PRESIDENT; David Blevins, PRESIDENT; Robert Freeman. THIRD ROW: Nettie Gollehon, Nancy Neitch, Charles Osborne, Joe Garretson, Tommy Maust, TREASURER; Barry Rice, Allen Love, Nancy Fisher, REPORTER.

## SPANISH CLUB

## MONOGRAM CLUB

FIRST ROW: David Blevins, Wesley Martin, Jimmy Thomas, Kennard Blevins, Don Martin, David Pickle, James Thomas, Ambers Haga. SECOND ROW: Benny Stuart, Alvin Barr, Fred Blevins, John Dixon, Marvin Sheets, Charles Frye, Harold Browning, Charles Blevins, Tommy Maust. THIRD ROW: Wade Powers, Douglas Hollaway, Jimmy Little, Bill Keese, Jimmy Daugherty, Marshall Greer, Ronny Johnson, Arnold Williams, Baker Testerman.

This year members of the Monogram Club were boys who lettered in band or in at least one of the varsity sports, football, basketball or baseball. The clubs objective is to promote an active interest in sports, encourage better sportsmanship, and to set up standards for wearing school letters.







Queen Anna Sue Blevins reigned over Homecoming festivities this year, ably assisted by her court, Kitty Horne, Barbara Russell, Susie Manuel, and Dianna Hart, representing the Senior, Junior, Sophomore, and Eighth Grade classes, respectively. The Queen and her attendants, chosen by the student body, were presented at half-time during the Homecoming football game with Rich Valley. Mayor Kelly Berry of Chilhowie crowned the Queen during the brief ceremony on the field.

Queen Anna Sue Blevins. CLOCKWISE: Kitty Horne, Susie Manuel, Dianna Hart, Barbara Russell.

## HOMECOMING QUEEN AND COURT

The Queen and her court ride across the field at half-time.

Mayor Berry crowns the Queen while her attendants look on.





Representatives of varsity sports are James Thomas, Lorena Collins, Don Martin, Wesley Martin, Anna Sue Blewins.

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Coaches Compton, Mellinger, and Ashe talk with Co-Captains Don Martin and James Thomas.

## FOOTBALL

The mighty Warriors had one of their most successful seasons under Head Coach Cleve Compton and assistant Coach Hubert Ashe this year. The Warriors finished the season second only to Glade Spring, and this was the only district defeat they had.

Probably the most exciting game was the last one of the season when the Warriors defeated Abingdon (20-19) for the first time in many years. The game was an especially hard-fought one because each player was out to win. It was a great team exhibition, but special recognition should be given Don Martin for catching thirteen of thirteen passes thrown to him.

We congratulate the Warriors on a thrilling and most successful season.

*Mighty "Warriors" experience exciting*

FIRST ROW: Jimmy Thomas, Fred Blevins, Marshall Greer, James Thomas, CO-CAPTAIN; Don Martin, CO-CAPTAIN; David Pickle, Wesley Martin, David Blevins. SECOND ROW: Scotty Jones, Jimmy Reid, Ambers Haga, Arnold Williams, Wade Powers, Ronny Johnson, Sonny Roland, Baker Testerman, John Dixon. THIRD ROW: George Lester, MANAGER: Ronald Houck, Donald Bowman, Douglas Holloway, Marvin Sheets, Charles Blevins, Benny Stuart, Alvin Barr, Jimmy Bowman, Tommy Maust, Bill Keese, MANAGER.







Don Martin puts on a burst of speed as he evades the Rich Valley players.



James Thomas tries to elude Rich Valley tacklers as he runs around his left end.

## *Season of triumphs and defeats*







JIMMY THOMAS  
Center

DON MARTIN  
End

JAMES THOMAS  
Fullback

WESLEY MARTIN  
Half-Back

DAVID BLEVINS  
Center



JOHN DIXON  
Guard

### FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

We	Opponent	Place	They
25	Meadowview	Home	0
38	Damascus	Home	0
6	Marion	Away	38
6	Saltville	Home	24
26	Lebanon	Away	0
25	Hurley	Away	13
7	Glade Spring	Home	13
25	Rich Valley	Home	6
20	Abingdon	Away	19

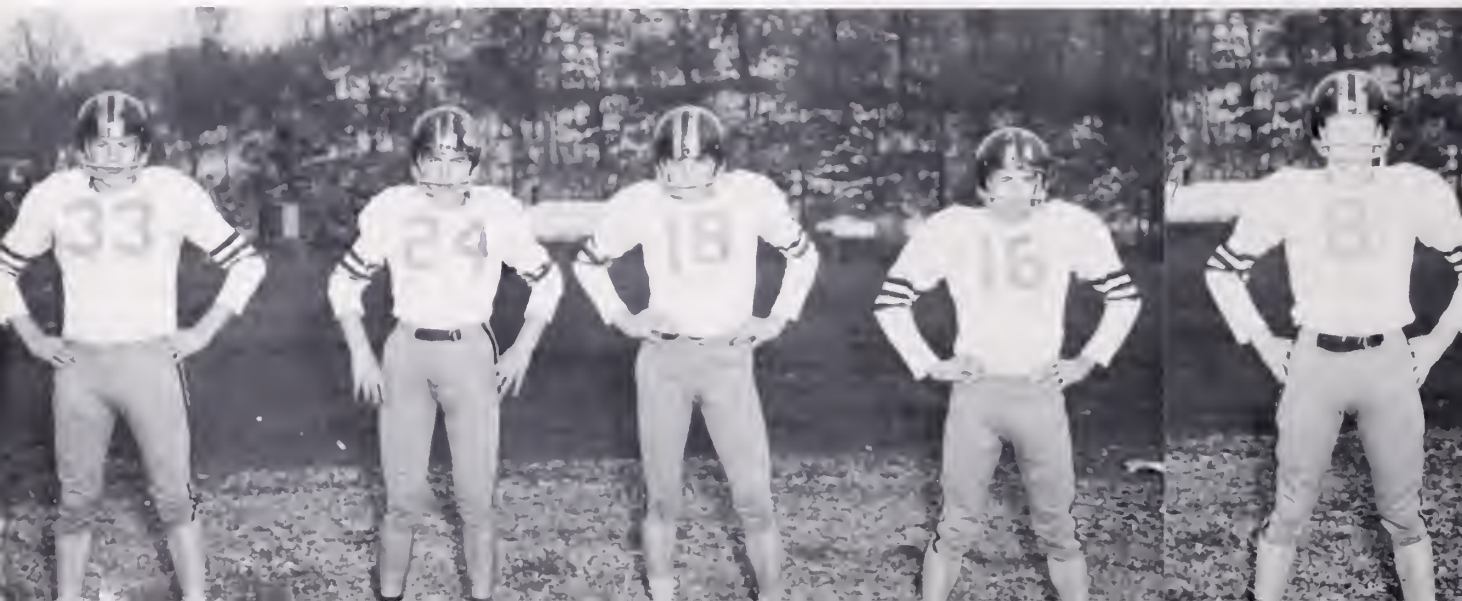
DAVID PICKLE  
Tackle

RONNIE JOHNSON  
Tackle

MARSHALL GREER  
End

AMBERS HAGA  
End

FRED BLEVINS  
Half-Back





# BASEBALL

At Right: Coach Hubert Ashe, Ambers Haga, and Tommy Maust select a bat for practice.

Since THE 1959 CHILVALEE must go to press before the baseball season begins, the picture, schedule, and write-up deal with the 1958 baseball team.



## BASEBALL SCHEDULE

First Game	Opponent	Second Game	
We	They	We	They
18	5	Marion	3
17	0	Wallace	6
2	3	Glade Spring	4
7	12	Meadowview	3
12	8	Liberty Hall	13
4	1	Abingdon	1
5	4	Rich Valley	5
12	0	Sugar Grove	5

Our 1958 baseball season was as successful as a 11-4 record would suggest. The outstanding pitcher was David Pickle, who did not lose a game. Marshall Greer and Wesley Martin did some outstanding hurling. Marshall lost only three games by a total of three runs. At the plate Junior Blevins led the team with a .425 batting average. Outstanding, also, were Don Martin, Tyler Pruitt, Don Love, Tommy Maust, and Johnny Bowman. We are looking forward to an even more successful 1959 season.

FIRST ROW: Jimmy Thomas, Joe Allen Dixon, Wesley Martin, Don Love, William Martin, E.B. Widener, Junior Blevins. SECOND ROW: Coach Hubert Ashe, James Thomas, Tyler Pruitt, Don Martin, Marshall Greer, David Pickle, Tommy Maust, Ambers Haga, Coach Arnold Mellinger. Not Pictured: Wade Powers, Manager.







KNEELING: Jackie Billings, Price Herndon, MANAGERS. STANDING: Arnold Williams, Fred Blevins, Bobby Kell, Harold Browning, Charles Frye, Frank Shelton, Don Martin, CO-CAPTAIN; Tommy Maust, Willard Blevins, Jimmy Thomas, Wesley Martin, CO-CAPTAIN.

## BOYS' BASKETBALL

### DISTRICT SCHEDULE

First Game		Opponent	Second Game	
We	They		We	They
52	41	Honaker	40	33
45	49	Abingdon	59	60
53	35	Lebanon	42	36
58	37	Rich Valley	37	36
70	32	Sugar Grove	58	27
46	31	Glade Spring	60	51
63	35	Wallace	57	45
46	58	Castlewood	48	52

The Warriors boast a good record of 12-14 in the district, and they tied for second place in the Southern Division. In the tournament the Warriors topped the Lebanon five in the first game, and then in the second game they defeated Castlewood. In the semi-finals the boys were defeated 58-49 after a hard-fought game.

Co-Captains Don Martin and Wesley Martin learn the fine points of basketball from Coach Arnold Mellinger.

Don Martin leaps high for the opening tip in the Saltville game.







Kitty Horne shoots as Mary and Betty Lewis go for the rebound in the duel between the Warriors and the Shakers.



Co-Captains Lorena Collins and Anna Sue Blevins talk over the game with Coach Cleve Compton.

## GIRLS' BASKETBALL

Led by Co-Captains Anna Sue Blevins and Lorena Collins, the Chilhowie girls' team met with stiff competition in most of the games they played but they showed great spirit and a will to win this season.

Lorena Collins, Betty Doss, Barbara Rupard, Anna Sue Blevins, Kitty Horne, and Betty Lewis made up the starting team.

### SCHEDULE

First Game		Opponent	Second Game	
We	They		We	They
32	46	Marion	27	37
62	53	Rich Valley	26	35
47	20	Sugar Grove	46	36
25	52	Wallace	14	36
36	47	Saltville	51	65

FIRST ROW: Vonnie Thomas, Betty Ruth Doss, Lorena Collins, CO-CAPTAIN; Anna Sue Blevins, CO-CAPTAIN; Kitty Horne, Jo Nell Wilmore. SECOND ROW: Olivine Blevins, Phyllis Pierce, Jo Ann Dinkins, Barbara Rupard, Mary Osborne, Barbara Russell. THIRD ROW: Norm Dinkins, MANAGER; Patsy Keese, Lucy Pruitt, Mary Lewis, Edna Sullins, Betty Lewis, Linda Blevins, Evelyn Eller, MANAGER.





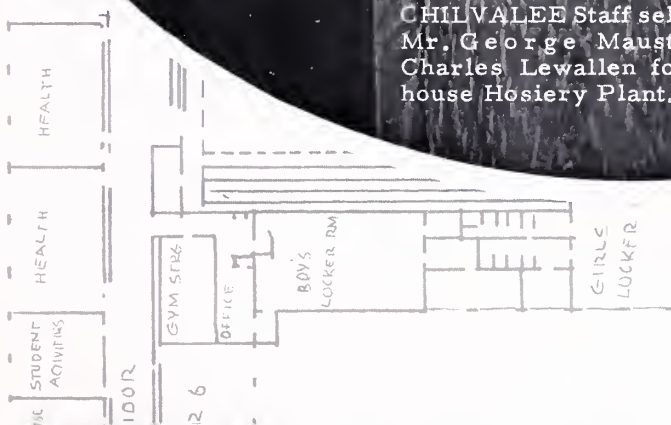


Reading from left to right:

Top Row: 1. "Chilvalee" Staff members enter Delmar Studios in Charlotte, North Carolina. 2. Members of the Junior play cast interpret a blueprint. 3. The Dramatics class members do a good make-up job. SECOND ROW: 1. Mr. Kreger poses for a cartoonist in assembly. 2. Seniors receive their class rings from Mr. Kreger, while Mr. Glenn looks on. 3. An Indian sings an old folk song in assembly. THIRD ROW: 1. Future Farmers of America are initiated. 2. Mrs. Goff and Mr. Crouse make plans for the Junior play. 3. C.H.S. students study in the new library. BOTTOM ROW: 1. The National Honor Society installs new members at a banquet. 2. Mr. Crouse buys an annual from Frederick Hackney. 3. Hi-Y boys elect officers.



Harold Browning, Pattie Goodman, Nancie Warren of THE CHILVALEE Staff sell an ad to Mr. George Maust and Mr. Charles Lewallen for Townhouse Hosiery Plant.



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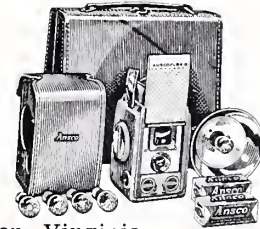
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Reading from left to right:

TOP ROW: 1. Sonny Goodman inspects film files in Delmar Studios. 2. Students enjoy their lunch period at the old building. 3. Mrs. Robinson hurries to class. SECOND ROW: 1. Juniors and Seniors build a pyramid at their picnic. 2. Everyone helps in moving to the new building. 3. Juniors and Seniors take time out between dances at the Junior-Senior Prom. THIRD ROW: 1. Members of the annual staff look over the new building. 2. Gifts are presented to the directors of the Junior play. 3. At the end of the day, students return home to study. BOTTOM ROW: 1. The Seniors and Sponsors enjoy a picnic lunch on their Washington trip. 2. The faculty and seniors entertain students with a ball game. 3. Brenda Kilby has taken a trip through the mines.



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